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CITY OF WHITE PLAINS AND WHITE PLAINS YMCA JOIN FORCES FOR SUMMER SWIM TEAM

White Plains, NY – May 13, 2016. The City of White Plains and the White Plains YMCA have joined together to provide city residents the opportunity to join the Citywide White Plains Summer Competitive Swim Team. The team will compete in the prestigious Westchester County Association Summer League. Members of the team must be between the ages of 6-18 years old and either be a resident of the City of White Plains or a member of the of the White Plains YMCA. Those interested must try-out for the team. Try-outs will be held on Wednesdays, May 25th and June 1st and Friday, June 3rd at 4:30 pm at the White Plains YMCA, 250 Mamaroneck Avenue.

Mayor Roach said, "This summer swim team is an outgrowth of our highly successful "Jump In and Swim" program, which aims to give all White Plains children, as well as adults, the opportunity to learn basic water safety and swimming skills. Based on the enthusiasm we have seen from kids during our Jump In and Swim activities, I anticipate that this team will also be successful."

"The White Plains YMCA is pleased to partner with the City of White Plains in developing the 2016 Summer Swim Team. Swimming is a healthy, "lifetime" activity. It promotes fitness and develops self-discipline, self-confidence and most importantly IT'S FUN!! The friendships developed and the skills learned can be something that will carry on for a lifetime. Our quality coaching team, under the direction of our new Aquatics Director Terrance Ewuell, is looking forward to an exciting summer!" adds Tom Hay, Executive Director of the White Plains YMCA."



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Recreation and Parks Commissioner Wayne Bass said, "We see participation in our recreation swim program growing each year. Parents are seeking more for their children. What a tremendous opportunity for our residents who want to train and swim competitively over the summer."

For more information contact Terrance Ewuell, Aquatics Director at the White Plains YMCA at TEwuell@ymca-cnw.org.

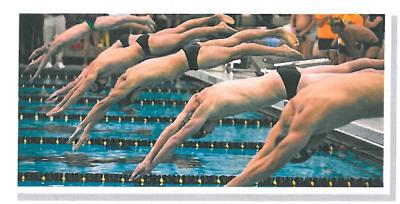
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White Plains YMCA

In collaboration with

City of White Plains RECREATION & PARKS







Summer Competitive

White Plains Swim Team

Ages 6-18

FREE TRYOUTS!

May 25, June 1 & 3 at 4:30pm

White Plains YMCA, 250 Mamaroneck Avenue

Participants must reside in the City of White Plains, or

have an active membership with the White Plains YMCA.

Fee upon selection \$175 (per swimmer, plus cost of uniform)

Season: June to Early August

The White Plains Swim Team will compete in the Westchester County Association Summer League. Practices are held at the White Plains YMCA. Meets are held at various sites throughout the County during weekday mornings and afternoons as scheduled by the league. Transportation to meets is not provided.

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